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It is certified that an error appears or errors appear in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Colum 16, line 51, Claim 5, please delete the word "of" from line 51 that currently reads: add1/SREBP in "of" the human with that of a non-obese. When corrected, line 51 should read: add1/SREBP in the human with that of a non-obese.

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